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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of the Central African Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

I should like to inform you that the Central African Republic wishes, as soon as is feasible, to become a full member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

I should be grateful if you would circulate the text of the present letter as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Ambroisine **Kpongo**
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of Burundi to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

I should like to inform you that Burundi wishes, as soon as is feasible, to become a full member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples, with a view to participating actively and constructively in its work at its next session.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter issued as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Albert **Shingiro**
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Deputy Permanent Representative and Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the United Arab Emirates to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

I have the honour to inform you of the desire of the United Arab Emirates to become, at the earliest, a full member of the Special Committee, and kindly ask your assistance in swiftly circulating the present letter to the members of the Special Committee and issuing it as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Jamal Jama **Al Musharakh**
Deputy Permanent Representative
Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of Morocco to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to inform you of the earnest desire of the Kingdom of Morocco to become, at the soonest, a full member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

Morocco was among the 38 African and Asian countries that sponsored and voted in favour of General Assembly resolution 1654 (XVI), adopted on 27 November 1961, establishing the Special Committee.

I would also like to recall that the first meeting of the Special Committee away from United Nations Headquarters was held in Tangiers, Morocco, from 21 to 25 May 1962, at the invitation of the Government of Morocco (see A/AC.109/7).

During that meeting, the Special Committee was received by King Hassan II. His Majesty said that it was a great honour for Morocco to have been the meeting place of the Special Committee and that it was a fitting honour, as Morocco, under King Mohammed V, had been the first African country to show the way in the fight for liberation (see A/5238).

As a full member of the Special Committee, Morocco will continue, as it has since joining the United Nations in 1956, to uphold all the purposes and principles of the Charter of the United Nations.

I would be grateful if this letter could be promptly circulated to the members of the Special Committee and issued as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Omar **Hilale**
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of Senegal to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to inform you that the Republic of Senegal wishes, as early as is feasible, to become a full member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples. Senegal attaches great importance to the work of the Special Committee and has always followed it with considerable interest, notably in the context of the Fourth Committee of the General Assembly.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated to the members of the Special Committee and issued as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Fodé **Seck**
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 4 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of Guinea to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

The Republic of Guinea has been at the forefront of the struggle for the emancipation and independence of peoples and countries under colonial domination, and is deeply committed to the mandate of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

The Republic of Guinea wishes, as soon as is feasible, to become a full member of that distinguished body with a view to contributing to the realization of its noble objectives.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter issued as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Mamadi **Touré**
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 5 January 2017 from the Permanent Representative of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

I would like to inform you that the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia would like to become, at the earliest possible opportunity, a full member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

As a full member of the Special Committee, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, a founding and active member of the United Nations, will positively and constructively contribute to its work.

I should be grateful if you would swiftly have the present letter issued as a document of the Special Committee.

(*Signed*) Abdallah Y. **Al-Mouallimi**
Permanent Representative

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Letter dated 17 February 2017 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Belize to the United Nations addressed to the Chair of the Special Committee

On instructions from my Government, I have the honour to signify the interest of Belize in becoming a member of the Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated to the members of the Special Committee and issued as a document of the Committee.

(*Signed*) Janine Elizabeth **Coye-Felson**
Chargé d'affaires a.i.

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